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Previous references.

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File No. 6—1883.

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Later references.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1–20

Part B for Dec. 85

SUBJECT.

Disposal of Govt. right to the date leases situated on Government lands.

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1 From The Dy Comr. ~~Chitaldrug~~ Tumkur Dist.
No. 156 Dt 4-8-83
Requests sanction to allow the ryots to take date leases without payment.

2 From The Asst Comr. Chitaldrug (Through the Tumkur Dr
No. 380 Dt 1-2-84
Reports on the subject of ryots taking date leases without payment for agricultural purposes.

GPB—3,500—21-7-14

3 From Mr. Wolsey Smith.

D. O. dated 25-7-84

Requested to inform the Dy. Commr. Tumkur, of his right to date leaves both in the Tumkur District and in the Shikaripur Sub-Division.

4. To The Dy Commr. Tumkur Dist.

No. 2876/111 Dt 4-8-84

Forwards copy of the above stating that the Contract includes the Sagar also.

To. Mr. Wolsely.

No. 2876½/477½ Dt ~~34~~ 8-84

Forwards copy of the above for information.

5. From The Dy Commr. Tumkur.

No. 343 Dt 30-8-84

Suggests that some restrictions may be placed for the ryots to cut and remove the Toddy leaves for their cattle.

6. From. Mr. ~~Mr.~~ Poyzanna Toddy Contractor

No. 32. Dt. 10-10-84

Submits his letter addressed to the Dy. Commr. Tumkur re. the use of date leaves and sticks by ryots.

7 From The Dy Commr. Tumkur Dist.

No. 451 Dt 18-10-84,

Submits letter from ~~Mr.~~ the Toddy contractor and date leaves and solicits orders on the subject.

8. To the Dy Commissioners of Districts
the Sub-Division officers.
Copy of Messrs Dany moddappa and Co.,
" Kanomaiya and Co.,
No. 4470-81/92 Dt 30-10-84.
Requests to report what arrangements are necessary to dispose of the forest right to leases of date trees situated on forest lands

9. From Messers Dany moddappa & Co.
No. 519 Dated. 14-11-84
Suggests that the Toddy Contractors may be given the option of taking soopy.

10. From The Dy Commr. Mysore Dist.
No. 586 Dt 14-11-84.
Submits report on the disposal of date leases and suggests to revert to the former System/allowing the right to the free use of the leaves.

11. From The Dy Commr. Shimoga.
No. 959/720 Dt 17-11-84.
Submits the report called for in cl 8.

12 From The Officer in charge of French-Rocks sub
No. 202 Dt 18-11-84.
Submits report in regard to the disposal of the forest right to date leaves.

13. From The Dy Commr. Kadur.
No 606. Dt 10-2-85

13. Submits a memo from the Asst. Commr. of the Kadur Dist. re. the disposal of right to date leaves.

14. From the Sub-Division officer Hassan.
No. 1298/403 Dt 29-3-85
Reports that the right of Government to date leaves may be sold annually for each Taluk wise.

15 From the Dy Commr. Bangalore.
No. 19 Dt 6-4-85
Reports on the arrangements required to be made for the disposal of the Govt right to date leaves.

16 From the Dy Commr. Tumkur Dist
No. 124 Dt 15-5-85
Reports on the subject after disposal of date leaves.

17 From the Dy Commr. Kadur.
No. 117 Dt. 20-6-85
Reports that he has ordered the Tahsildars to sell the contract of date leaves to the professional rope and basket makers.

18. From the Dy Commr. Kolar Dist.
No. 661/250 Dt 3-9-85
Suggests that date leaves may be farmed out to Toddy Contractors on payment of a lumpsum of Rs. 70/- and in case they refuse to accept the outsiders may be called on to bid.

SECTION Sundries

FILE No. [illegible]

SERIAL No. ~~No. 4670-81~~ 97 92

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With reference to the Deputy Commr's letter dt. 30 October 1892 calling for returns as to the arrangement necessary to dispose of the Govt. right to leaves of date trees on Govt. lands, the following proposals have been received from the Deputy Commrs. and Asst. Commrs. officiating:—

Deputy Comr. Bangalore

The purchaser or lessee of the leaves will be bound by the following conditions:—

I That the lessee may cut & remove any dried leaves as also leaves which are likely to wither up in a short time.

II That he shall not cut leaves from any young immature toddy trees, the trunks of which are less than one yard in height from the ground to the springing up of the branches, nor from any other date trees when his so doing is likely to hurt the trees rendering them unserviceable at once or in course of time.

III That the lessee shall have no right to such leaves as the toddy contractors may have to remove for the purpose of drawing toddy.

IV That the lessee will be liable to

to any loss that may accrue to the Toddy Contractors by any action on their part or on that of their people in violation of the conditions above [illegible]

V That the Toddy Contractors will not unduly interfere with the lessee of the leases when he abides by the above conditions; and if they should so infringe the said leases, they will render themselves liable in their turn for any losses which the lessee of the leases may sustain.

VI That the right to cut leases on the above conditions will be sold talukwar.

Note It is a point for consideration whether Toddy Contractors should not be allowed to bid for the leases if they like.

The granting out of date leases to strangers will create conflicting rights over the trees & will eventually prove prejudicial to the interests of Govt. Therefore the present Toddy Contractors may be allowed the leases during the currency of their contract, if they agree to pay a lump sum of Rs. 70 per annum; and if they refuse, the

Kolar.

VII When a Refusal is made, it shall be open to the Builder to consider the reasons on appeal from the Applicant, and either grant a Chit himself or refuse it, as he may deem proper.

VIII For refusal to grant Chit on insufficient or frivolous grounds, Fines may be levied by the Builder within his Revenue Power

VIII No Stamp fee to be levied for Chits or Applications for date leaves, shoots or Clearances, or for Petitions of Complaint before the Builder under these Rules.

Great hardship resulted from the sale of "Kira Ichalu" It is therefore recommended that orders for the sale of it, conveyed in form 4 of Pros: Co: 18 of 28th October 1881, may be withdrawn.

Shamoga Dt. Dy. Com. 3

The present term of Toddy Contract in this District includes the right to date leaves, and therefore "Kira Ichalu" alone is rented out annually.

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The Exports may be allowed free use of date leaves for agricultural purposes, and for professional men, such as mat makers &c., a license system may be tentatively introduced, prescribing the license fee at one anna for each bundle of leaves or Mercs.

Revenue 37.
(Con.)

Sub Division Officer Hosur.

The Govt: right to date leaves may be sold annually for each Taluk. The Toddy Contractors complain that interference of Toddy Contractors of leaves, will cause friction & inconvenience. They have been told, to make their own offers which will be considered with others. Submits the "Proposed Draft of Rules" for approval.

Collr & D.M. {Toddy Contractors

The Toddy Contractors should have the contract of Date leaves. for, if otherwise, two parties of conflicting interests will have an equal right to the use of the trees, this will lead to frequent complaints & disputes.

Draft Rules.

Rules.

Remarks.

1. Except for tapping date trees for toddy (and in that case by the Toddy Contractors only or their constituted agents or lessees) no date leaves shall be cut without permission previously had in writing from the Amildar of the Taluk.

2 Leaves cut for tapping date trees on Government land shall be the property of the Izardar for those leaves for the year. The right to appropriate such leaves when so cut shall be sold by auction once a year by the Amildar for

for Groups[A] of villages. These Groups may for the present be those Constituted into Shanbogues' charges. The highest bidder shall be Izardar; and this items of revenue shall be realized and administered as other items of minor produce[B].

A To sell the Izara for large areas such as by Districts and Subdivisions or Talukhs or Hobilies is to exclude the petty Izardar with small capital and local connections from direct lease from Government and to bring in the large Contractor as a middle man with all the inconveniences and hardships of a monopoly alluded to in Dewan's Proceedings No: 1809 18th October 1881. On the other hand the village may be too small a circle in view of the limited class of persons who will take these leases and use them for mats, baskets & ropes.

B Such as Kulbanni etuma-roji produce &c.

3. Where for the benefit of the date trees themselves or from other sufficient cause[C] it is necessary or desirable to cut leaves on date trees at other time than tapping for toddy, application shall be made to the Amildar who shall inquire into the matter and with the sanction

C These will be very rare occasions. A restriction such as that mentioned in this rule will preclude that wholesale destruction which is now carried on. The large contractor leases to small contractors; and so that work the Contractor

sanction of the Deputy Commissioner or Subdivision Officer (as the case may be) give the necessary permission in writing. The permission shall be for one village at a time; it shall prescribe the days on which the leaves shall be cut; and it shall enjoin such cutting in the presence of the village Patil whose duty it will be to see that leaves are not cut from plants younger than a yard in height from the ground or from trees tapped for toddy: and in all cases contrary to such cut leaves so as to prejudice the trees. The shorter the plant the easier to cut: and the more the leaves are cut and the fewer the number of trees worked the easier to gather the leaves. Thus the manner of working which is most profitable to the Contractor is the most prejudicial to the trees themselves.

cases so as to be injurious to the trees themselves. The price for each such permit shall be two Rupees or more according as may appear suitable to the Amildar according to the circumstances.

4. These rules do not apply to Inam Villages or to date trees on lands in private holdings in villages in which the Survey settlement has been introduced.

T. Munro
27 March

Memorandum.

In V. C. Gadhawala late Sub Officer of French Rocks, in para: 6 of his letter No: 202 of 18th November 1884, brings to notice that great hardship results from the sale of "Kir Ichal", which is a source of livelihood for the poorer classes, and recommends that orders for the sale of "Kir Ichal" conveyed in Pro: No: 18 of 28th October 1881, may be withdrawn."

But in para: VII of the "Draft Rules regarding the removal & use of the Date leaves", it is stated as follows:-

"These rules shall apply to the removal of leaves from Kir Ichal

From the context and also from the fact that "date trees" are used in the "Draft Rules," a doubt has arisen as to whether the word not may have been omitted after the word "shall" in Rule VII, especially as the "shall" is only a shall. The draft however has been copied as it is submitted for orders.

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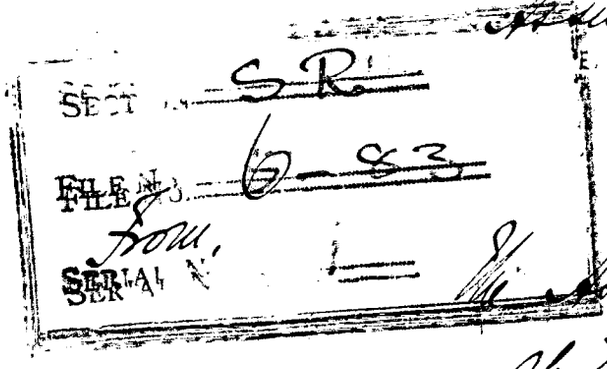
Chitaldroog Sub Division
Assistant Comrs: Office
4th August, 1863.



From,
I
Assistant Commissioner
Chitaldroog Sub Division

To,
The Secretary to the Bureau
of Improvements Revenue Dept:
(thro' the Deputy Commissr:
Tumkur District.)

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the information of the Bureau that the rain fall throughout the Chellakere Taluk, particularly towards the frontier, and in portions of the Chitaldroog Taluk and Jagalur Range is very scanty up to date. I have recently travelled in parts of the Chellakere Taluk with the Deputy Commissioner, and found that the people are very anxious about pasture for their cattle. In the parts in which I travelled, fresh grass has not yet sprung

5 Kuccha pds, and the Cattle are fed to some extent on leaves of trees. The Amildar of the Taluk reported to me in person, that almost the whole of his Taluk is very badly off in this respect. The Ryots of several villages, thro' which I passed, requested me to grant permission to take Saudi leaves without payment for being used as cattle feed. The Amildar is of opinion that this concession would become necessary throughout his Taluk if leaves withheld any longer, and I quite concur with him.

2. It was practice from time immemorial, in this District to give to the cultivators dale leaves for agricultural purposes, and in bad seasons, for being used as cattle feed without payment. Under recent arrangements the right of taking dale leaves is farmed out, the Saudi Contractor for Rupees 100 — —, and he will

will certainly object to allow the ryots to take the leaves for the purpose now in question without payment. Already the whole country loudly complains of the exactions of the contractor, I have come to know that he has charged from Annas 4 to Rupees 2-- -- per plough, or "Kahalay" well per year for taking date leaves for making ropes &c: for agricultural purposes, and this matter will form subject of another report. The object of this correspondence is to inform the Bureau that any further demand by the Contractor for date leaves, will be felt very much by the Ryots. My opinion is that in different seasons they should be allowed the use of date leaves as cattle feed without payment in accordance with the old practice of the country. I have addressed the Contractor on the subject, and his reply will be duly submitted for the orders of the Bureau -

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3. The Matter being one which would not admit of delay, I have taken the liberty of addressing you without waiting for a reply from the Contractor. If he has no objection, the question will be disposed here - On the other hand if he takes objection, I would beg you to obtain permission of the Govt to allow the Boats to take date leases as usual pending final disposal of the question -

4. I beg to submit in conclusion that it seems to me advisable to be prepared to meet any Exigency before hand; I therefore request that early orders may be issued on this subject.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your most obedient Servant

D Cameron Lieut
Assistant Commissioner
Caledonia Sub Div

2- Traders & Planters to Canes for a certain fixed price.

3. Contractor to have a small percentage on the amount realized.

The number of Sunpers to be employed should be fixed by Millers & Planters so that no waste is committed.

Rk.

SECTION: 2-7

FILE No. 6

SERIAL No. 2

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OFFICIAL SECRETARIAT PEN CANTONMENT

From The Assistant Commissioner Chitaldroog Sub Div:

To The Dewan

The Secretary to ~~Chief Commissioner~~ of Mysore,

(Thro' the Revenue Department.
Thro' the Deputy Commissioner: Tumkur Dist:)

Dated 1st February 1884.

Despatched 1st "

Received

Enclosures No. 2.

General No. 380 | 1883-84.

Dept. No.

Reports on the subject of Ryots taking date leases without payment for agricultural purposes, and recommends that they may be exempted from payment

5-2-84

Forwarded on 4. 2. 84. Asst. H. Obt. Dy. Trans.

Submitted

Note:

The Date Leases item is not included in the Contract: the Contractors therefore will have no concern with them: are the Ryots Date leases items?

I would suggest the Contractors being given the ~~the~~ items under the following conditions:—

1. Bona fide Ryots to have, for agricultural purposes Date trees free.

Do: No:
380-2-

Chitaldroog Sub Division
Assistt: Commrs: Office
Dated 1st February 94.
Despd 1st ditto —

From,

The Assistant Commissioner
Chitaldroog Sub Division

To,

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore Revenue Departt:
Thro' the deputy Commissioner
Tumkur District

Sir,

As promised in my letter Do: 156 of the 4th August last, I beg to submit the following report on the subject of Ryots taking date leaves without payment for agricultural purposes -

2. The System of farming the right of collecting date leaves was not in existence in the late Nayar division; and the Ryots were taking without pay: - Burnt leaves and Switches. the former for making ropes for agricultural purposes, and the latter for baskets &c: for their own household use.

From Local Enquiries instituted by me, it came to my knowledge that Edigars

Eajars (the Lobby drawers) were in the habit of demanding small quantities of grain from Ryots for allowing them free access to the date trees; and it will be seen from the Enclosed Correspondence that the practice was ordered to be dis= =Continued in the year 1873, by the then Commissioner of the Division on the ground that it was not legal, and that the Ryots have a right to take date leaves without any payment.

3. The Ryots in this part of the Country, in fact, throughout the whole of the Nazar Division were Enjoying the Con= =cession from time immemorial. They used to take these materials for agricultural and household purposes, as they do in cases of unreserved timber and fuel for similar purposes, and it is my humble opinion that the indulgence should be Continued, as the materials in question are as necessary as fuel

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or timber to an agriculturist - In almost every part of the Sub division ropes for drawing "Kapalay" buckets, plough ropes, halters for cattle, brooms &ca: are made from the fibre of the date leaves, without these articles, the agriculturist cannot go on for a single moment - Sarkelurs are used in making baskets, Lattis &ca: which are equally necessary for the household use of the village Community -

4 - After the right was leased to the present Toddy Contractor, he sub let the same to different persons, and they demand exhorbitant rates from the people - In the Talooks of Chellakere, Chitaldroog and parts of Shimoga, where there is a great demand for date leaves, the Sub Contractors have charged up to Rupees 2 - " - " for a Kapalay well, and from annas two to eight per plough - The Ryots throughout the

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x No: 107 dated
April 1869 from
Superintendent
&c. to the Dy:
and Kadur.

Circular
dated 20th
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No: 170 -
& August 1871
Superintt: of
the Deputy
&: of Kadur
as set forth:
in the Records.

the Lake Chibaldroog District. Complain
of this additional burden, and pray that
they may be allowed to enjoy the con=
=cession as hitherto fore -

5. There seems to be no objection to
lease the right as the dake leases
are the property of the Government.
Those that take them for the purpose
of trade and profit must pay, and
I would recommend that agriculturist
and village Community who take the
Materials for their own use may
be Exempted from payment. I would
however prefer the system of retain=
=ing the management in the hands
of the Government, and issue Licenses
charging a small amount of license
fees, as is being done in the case of
unreserved timber and fuel &c:

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
D Macnabb
Assistant Commissioner

(General Serial No 28.)

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From The Superintt: of Hazar

To The Deputy Superintt: of Kabur.

Dated 6th

Despatched 14th April

Received

Enclosures No. Canc: Papers

General No. 107 / No. 5. 1869.70.

Your Cancarse Bookakari No: 387 of the 26th February 1869.

With reference to the above has the honor to state that the Poddy Contractor is duly entitled to

Memorandum of Agreement between Mr. Thomas Cull and Mr. Thomas Cull

1873-74

Memorandum of Agreement made and entered into this [illegible] day of [illegible] 1873 between Thomas Cull of the Township of Scarborough in the County of York Farmer of the first part and Thomas Cull of the Township of Scarborough in the County of York Farmer of the second part as follows

The said party of the first part agrees to sell and convey to the said party of the second part the East half of Lot number [illegible] in the [illegible] Concession of the Township of Scarborough aforesaid containing by estimation one hundred acres more or less for the sum of [illegible] dollars of lawful money of Canada to be paid as follows [illegible] dollars on the [illegible] day of [illegible] 1873 and the balance in [illegible] equal annual payments with interest at the rate of [illegible] per cent per annum payable annually on the [illegible] day of [illegible] in each year the first payment of interest to be made on the [illegible] day of [illegible] 1874 and the first payment of principal to be made on the [illegible] day of [illegible] 1875 and the said party of the second part agrees to purchase the said land at the price and on the terms aforesaid and to pay the said purchase money and interest as aforesaid and to keep the buildings on the said land insured against fire in the sum of [illegible] dollars in the name of the said party of the first part and to assign the policy of insurance to the said party of the first part as collateral security for the payment of the said purchase money and interest and the said party of the first part agrees to give possession of the said land to the said party of the second part on the [illegible] day of [illegible] 1873 and to convey the said land to the said party of the second part by a good and sufficient deed in fee simple free from all incumbrances on payment of the said purchase money and interest as aforesaid

In witness whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of
[illegible]

SECTION C.R.

FILE No. 6 43

SERIAL No. 3

To
The Secretary
to the Govt

Sir

As the right to the use of the date leaves by the present Toddy Contractors has been clearly laid down in the Govt's Proceedings dated 28th Oct 1881, I have the honor to request that the Deputy Commissioner of Sunkur may be informed of our right to such leaves both in the Sunkur District and in the Chillu Droog Sub Division of that District

I have the honor to be

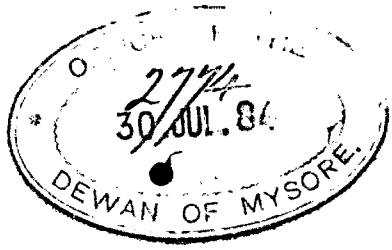
Sir

Your most obdt Servt

F. Wolseley Lieut.

Bangalore

25th Jan 84



Forwarded to the Dewan's
Secretary that the Contract
is duly executed by the Company —

B.B.

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31/7/84.

(General Serial No. 31.)

E.R.

FILE No. 8a

SERIES 4

1884.

From

To

Dated 3 August

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 2876

No. 111

Has the honor to forward herewith copy of letter of 25th July ult, from Mr Wheeley Smith relative to the right of the use of the date leases by the present Laudey Contractors, and to state that the Contract includes the Sogay as laid down in this Office Camp No 11 of 28 Oct 81.

H. B.

No 2876½ Ltr

Copy to Wm Wheeley Smith 31/7/84. Ltr in Secretary's

No 343 Deputy Commr's office
Tumkur District
Dated 30th August /

SECTION SR
FILE NO. C-83
SUBJECT

To The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore
Rev. Department
Bangalore

Sir

Referring to your docket No 2876/111 of 4th August 1884 and to the order of the Dewan therein referred to I have the honor to respectfully invite the attention of the Dewan to Condition XI of the advertisement No 303 of the 10th January 1884 (pages 10, 11 and 12 of the Mysore Gazette dated January 19th wherein it is clearly laid down that the Lessee shall not cut and use any leaves "except such as may have to be removed for the purpose of drawing toddy" As the present lease has been accepted in accordance with the terms of this advertisement & the disposal of leaves not cut for the purposes specified above rests yet with the Government and I leave it to the Dewan to decide whether the contractor is to have it for the present contract

Amount, or whether as ruled by the late Dewan in the order referred to in the Docket under reply he should not pay anything extra for the use of the leaves:

2. Lord - I beg to take this opportunity to represent for the favourable consideration of the Dewan that this year there is at present a great difficulty experienced for cattle on account of the present drought - Last year also Mr Narasa Rao told me that in Chittledrug the ryots complained to the Dewan against the restrictions placed on the use of toddy leaves and that the Dewan was pleased to promise redress - Under these circumstances I would beg to suggest that for this year at least no restrictions may be placed for the ryots to cut and remove the leaves for cattle.

Next year it may be considered whether the contractors should be allowed the use of the leaves but then specific conditions must be

adopted so as not to leave it in their
power to molest or annoy among the Ryots
or exact from them unconscionable
prices for their agricultural ne-
-cessaries such as baskets &c
awaiting the favour of early orders.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed't Sv't.
W. D. Mercer
Deputy Commissioner
Tumkur Dist

Rec'd

R. No. encls:
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To
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The Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore

Sir,

I have the honor to forw
herewith a letter of mine to the
Deputy Commissioner of Tumc
District with his endorsem
thereon from which you will
that he declines to accept the
orders to the Council as to
I request to receive to issue,
which I hope you will agre
with in thinking I am fully
entitled to in accordance with
your letter No. 2876/111 dated
4th August 1884 to the Dep

Commissioner Tuticorin his te

I have also the honor to
point out that the Sub Division
Officer Chittadroog has
issued orders to the Amildars
under his charge that the
Ryots are entitled to use the
dale leaves, sticks, &c; such
an order, of course, is most pre=
judicial to my interest, and I
have therefore the honor to requ
that you will at your earliest
convenience inforce the Deput
Commissioner of Tumkur acc
through him the Sub Divisional
Officer at Chittadroog the
the orders in your letter of 4th Augu
must be at once carried out.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
D. Ursinivasy

10/10/84
Bangalore

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Exercise 22.

(General Serial No. 31.)

1884.

From The Dy Commissioner
Trichur District

To The Secretary to the Dewan
of Cochin, Revenue Departt

Dated 18th Octr 1884.

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No. 1

General No. 1884-85.

No. 457

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No. 343 dated 30th ult August 1884, I have the honor to submit in original letter No. 33 dated 15th Instant from the Toddy Contractor arent the date leaves and solicit the orders of the Dewan on the subject.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

Dy Commissioner.

No 424 No 33
16/10/84

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To

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The Deputy Commissione
Tuticorin District

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge
receipt of your No 339 dated 23rd Sept
and with reference to the Soga questi
I have the honor to point out that I
have to pay the very large amount
of Rupees 1464446/ per annum inc
local cess and that I tendered this
amount relying on the proceedin
of the Dewan Camp No 18 of 28th Octobe
and the Secretary to the Dewan leavin
informed me that the Soga was inclu
in the Contract I have given up
the Taluks on Lagoli and the peop
to whom I have done so will now
claim compensation from me a
I will be a very great looser there
and my Ameenas in Chittalur
Sub Division have informed me that

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e Sub Divisional Officer of Chitaldroog
as also given orders authorizing the
Ryots to use the Soga, dale sticks, &c
without paying anything to me, this
der has completely upset my ar-
rangements in Chitaldroog and
I have therefore the honor to request
that you will kindly issue the necessary
ders to the Sub Divisional Officer at
Chitaldroog and the Amildars of
ucken District so as to allow of my
deriving the benefit from Soga which
I would have had from the arrangements
I have made and thereby relieve me
rom the serious loss which I am at
present suffering.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

15/10/84
Bangalore

New Sunderland
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Methodist
Church
Dewan
of Mysore
and
Coorg
No 1
16/10

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SECTION - SR
FILE No. 6-83
SER[illegible] 8

From

To

Read :-
Letters Nos 343 & 457 dy 30th August and 18th October 1884 from the Dy Comr of Tumkur.

Letter from M. C. Papanna Toddy Contractor, Tumkur Dist dy 6 October 1884.

Dated

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No.

No.

No 4470-81 dy 30/10/84
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Order -

The right & date bonus [illegible] Contract was in force - [illegible] Contr. pleaded undertaking [illegible]

Order :-

~~The Contractor leases from him to~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ Commences ~~the~~ would in addition reduces the quantity of toddy, & Cattle and forces the agricultural population & Each the Cattle on a date leases, ~~the~~ Dy Comrs are empowered as a special case to decide what trees & in what talluks the leases might be set aside, ~~the~~ Contractor shall allowed a small deduction in the contract amount as compensation.

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at present

and

no longer vests in the Contractors & Sub-Divisional Officers

Public Works Department requested to report what arrangements are necessary to enforce the Govt right to the leaves of Date trees. They like to discourage as much as lead to any deterioration of Date trees. With this View ~~[illegible]~~ the Toddy Contracts will be given ~~[illegible]~~ some Control over the trees & the removal of leaves therefrom, but he will be prohibited, from levying any Revenue from such persons as may remove the leaves for mat & rope making

Pmitchell
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To. Dy Comr of Divisions & Sub Divisional Officers

Copy to Messrs Papanna & Co.
" " Messrs Dawson Bros Ltd
" " Messrs Binny & Co.

(16)

Proceedings of the Dewan to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, (Revenue,)—dated 30th October 1884.

READ—

Letters Nos. 343 and 451, dated 30th August and 18th October 1884, from the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkur.

Letter from Mr. C. Papanna, Toddy Contractor, Tumkur District, dated 6th October 1884.

No. 4470-81—92, DATED 30TH OCTOBER 1884.

ORDER.—The right to date leaves is no included in the toddy contract now in force. Dewan's Proceedings Camp No. 18, dated 28th October 1881, contemplated including this right in the toddy contrac but the complaints received against this arrangement induced the Dewan to reve t to the previous system under which date leaves used to be excluded from the to dy contract. Provision was accordingly made in para XI of Notification No. 303, ated 18th January 1884, restricting the contractor's right to such leaves as may hav to be removed for the purpose of drawing toddy. The right to leaves of date tree situated on Government land is thus reserved at present for separate disposal, and no longer vests in the contractor.

2. The Deputy Commissioners and Sub Division Officers are requested to report what arrangements are necessary to dispose f the Government right to the leaves of date trees. They should be so disposed of as not to lead to any deterioration of date trees. With this view the toddy co tractor should be given some control over the trees and the removal of leaves the from, but he should be prohibited from levying any revenue from such persons as m y remove the leaves for mat and rope making.

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
The Sub-Division Officers.
Copy to Messrs. Papanna and Co.
" " Davy, Muddappa and Co.
" " Kanomaiya and Co.

1884

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

REVENUE.

PROCEEDINGS.

Dated 30*th October* 1884.

No. 4470-81.
92.

Requesting the Deputy Commissioners and Sub-Division Officers to report what arrangements are necessary to dispose of the Government right to leaves of date trees situated on Government lands, &c.

Mysore Government Press, Bangalore.—5-11-84—80.

№ 519 Date leaves

P 2347/57

From Messrs Davy Middlepath &
Govt Abkary Contractors

SECTION — C/o

FILE No. S-83

SER 9 Via Belgaum

(17)

14-11-84

Refer in reply

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to H & The Maha Raja's
Mysore

Sir

Referring your proceedings №4470-9
dated 30th/14th Oct 18[illegible] regarding the right of the
Toddy Contractor to the leaves of the Date trees
growing in his district as Sub Division, we beg
to the honor to state that the Date leaves, or Sleeve
of Coagay, has been quite distinct from Toddy
in this (Mysore) District for some years past. At
the time it was first separated we pointed out
that the Toddy Contractor ought, if possible, to
have it, for if two parties of conflicting interes
have an equal right to the trees it might be
to much unpleasantness and continual
Complaints. In recover in case of damage
the trees the blame might be attached to the wrong
person.

The Date leave (Coagay) Contract of the
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belongs to me, but is quite distinct from the Todday, as before stated, and we respectfully submit that in all cases the Todday contractor should have the option of taking it or not as he pleases, for it seems to us utterly impossible that he can retain any control over the trees if the Date leaves Contract be given to another person, and we believe it would be not only to his own interest to retain it but also to the benefit of Government.

We have the honor to be,
Sir
your most obed[t] servants

Bangalore
1st November
1884

Daz Mudappa

No. 586

SECTION G.R.
FILE No. 6-83
SERIAL No. 10

Deputy Commissioner's Office
Mysore District
Dated Mysore 14th Nov: 1884.

To,

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of the Dewan's Proceedings No. 4470-81/92 dated 30th October 1884, calling for a report regarding the disposal of the Government right to the leaves of date trees, situated on Government lands, and in reply to submit that the leaves are required by ryots only for making ropes and mats and in some cases to cover the roofs of their huts. The free use of the leaves for the purpose was formerly enjoyed by them under licenses from Amildars, and date trees never suffered in consequence. Where however any person was found to injure trees he was punished by the Amildar.

2. My experience of the Chitaldrug District showed that the leasing of Toddy on contract entailed hardships on the ryots. The Contractor of that District represented that the license system had interfered with his work and that the date trees were being destroyed by indiscriminate cutting of leaves by the ryots. The leaves were given out to him on contract, I think, for a nominal sum of 100 Rs per annum: he did not use his discretion in cutting the leaves, but allowed the ryots to do as they liked and to cut wherever they wished; all that he looked to being that the ryots paid him so much a head load. He also recovered 3 Rs from the owner of each Cuplay (well), which numbered about 800 in the District, for ropes required by them and a tax of

4 and 8 annas per gingum on every house thatched with Soge: thus the Contractor's income was said to have been some thousands of rupees.

3. Leasing Soge on contract does not, I think, bring much profit to Government: on the other hand it entails great hardship on the ryots. I would therefore suggest the advisability of reverting to the license system, under which the ryots were allowed free use of the leaves. If the Toddy Contractors find any person injuring or in any way impairing the growth of trees, they are at liberty to put him up before the Amildar; but I feel confident that nothing more than what is now being done to trees by

the

the Contractors will ever be done
by the ryots.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt Servant,

Deputy Commissioner.
Mysore District.

(General Serial No. 20) 5428

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From Asst Collr Cuddapah

SECTION C.R.

FILE No. 5

To

SERIAL No. 11

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore

Dated 17th November 1884

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No. "

General No. 9591
No. R. 720 1884-85.

Sir,

With reference to the Dewan's Proceedings No 6470-81/92 of the 30th October 1884, I have the honour to state that the present terms of Coddary Contract in this District includes the right to date leaves as directed in the Proceedings dated the 28th October 1881 and

that the Delicate or smaller
species of Cale-bolucks are both
used for cleaning Teeth in
alone scented out commonly —

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient
humble
Servt

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No. 202.

Sale Division Office,
French Rocks 18th Nov. 82

The Secretary to the Diwan
of Mysore
Revenue Department

Sir

In acknowledging receipt of
Diwan's Proceedings No. 4470-81/92 of
the 30th October last I have the
honor to report as follows.

2. The Proceedings of the Diwan
Camp No. 18 dated 28th October 8
would appear to contemplate the
giving of the right to the leaves of
date trees to the toddy contractor
on contract.

3. In the Proceedings now under
consideration the removal of leaves
is to be allowed free of charge by

e contractor which would imply that
o revenue is to be derived by Govern-
ment from the contractor.

. It is necessary with a view to
ut a stop to complaints from
eddy contractors to give the
entral over date leaves to them,
nd it is equally important that the
oorer classes who live by making
mats, baskets and rope with the
leaves &c of date trees should be
llowed to have date leaves &c free.

. To secure both these objects, it
may be ruled;

I. That no leaves or shoots,
or stems shall be removed
unless under a license
'chit' from the Mukuddy
in charge of the tope.

II. That removing leaves
or shoots or stems in viola-
tion of the terms of the 'chit'
shall be punished by the
Amildars summarily with
fines not exceeding the amount
they are empowered to impose

under Revenue Rules.

III. The report of the Patel
the village shall be conclus
as to the violation of the ter
of Licence.

IV. Any graver Offences
such as doing damage to
trees or to the toddy pots
&c will of course, be tak
up under the General an
Special Criminal Law.

V. Mutseddies shall no
except for good reasons t
be given to the applicant
in writing, refuse to allo
any person from removin
leaves or shoots or chem

VI. When a refusal is ma
it shall be open to the Amil
to consider the reasons on
appeal from the 'darkhas
dar', and either grant a
'chit' himself or refuse it
as he may deem proper.

VII. For refusal to gran
'chit' on insufficient or
frivolous grounds

Mutseddies may be fined by Amildar within his revenue powers.

VIII. No stamps to be levied for 'chits' or applications for date leaves, shoots or stems., or for petitions or complaints before the Amildar under these rules.

. In connection with this subject I beg to represent that great hardship results from the orders authorizing the sale of "Kiri Ichal" which is a source of livelihood for the poorer classes. I would take this liberty to recommend that orders for the sale of "Kiri Ichal" conveyed in para 4 of the Proceedings No. 18 dated 28th October 1881 may be withdrawn.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obdt. servant.

P. Sadhasivaiyer
Officer in charge of
French Rocks &c.

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SECTION 6 C

FILE No. 20 [illegible]

SERIAL No. 13

1885.

om The Dy Commr Kadur Dt

No 41 (21)

The Secretary to the Dewan

of Mysore.

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Enclosures No. 1

General No. 606 } 1884–85.
No. 91

S. Rec'd

With reference to the
proceedings of the Dewan
No 470-84 dated the 30th
October last regarding
the disposal of the Govt
right to the leaves & date
trees, I have the honour
to state that I am in
correspondence with Mr Asst
Commr Nagesh Rao's
views expressed in the
Memo enclosed.

2. The ryots may be
allowed free to cut leaves
for the manufacture
of baskets &c for
agricultural purposes
only

and for good behaviour.
4. That the village
officers being held respon-
sible for any abuse
of the privilege. Each
registered professional
coachman to have a
license & pay a certain
fee for which he may
be entitled to drive
for one month & a
badge to be worn
which no one may
be able to copy.
3. The Councillors may
report when any check
is found to their inter-
ests to the Council and
vote in all cases.
4. That the superin-
tendence of the sheikhs
and the village
officers, the arrangement
proposed may be worked well.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
[illegible] H. B.
Offg Dy Commissioner
Nazareth

Exercise 43

ಮಿಶ್ರ ಅಭ್ಯಾಸಗಳು.

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1. ಒಂದು ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯ ಮೂರರಷ್ಟು ಮತ್ತು ಅದರ ಐದರಷ್ಟು ಸೇರಿಸಿದರೆ ಬರುವ ಮೊತ್ತ ಆ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯ ಎರಡರಷ್ಟು ಮತ್ತು ಅದರ ಹದಿನೈದರಷ್ಟು ಸೇರಿಸಿದರೆ ಬರುವ ಮೊತ್ತಕ್ಕೆ ಸಮವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಆ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯನ್ನು ಕಂಡುಹಿಡಿಯಿರಿ.

2. ಒಂದು ಭಿನ್ನರಾಶಿಯ ಅಂಶ ಮತ್ತು ಛೇದಗಳ ಮೊತ್ತ 7. ಅಂಶಕ್ಕೆ 2 ಸೇರಿಸಿದಾಗ ಬರುವ ಮೊತ್ತ ಛೇದಕ್ಕೆ 2 ಸೇರಿಸಿದಾಗ ಬರುವ ಮೊತ್ತಕ್ಕೆ ಸಮವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಭಿನ್ನರಾಶಿಯನ್ನು ಕಂಡುಹಿಡಿಯಿರಿ.

1) ಸಮೀಕರಣ — 2) ಸಮೀಕರಣವನ್ನು ಬಿಡಿಸಿ — ಅಂಶ ಮತ್ತು ಛೇದಗಳನ್ನು ಕಂಡುಹಿಡಿಯಿರಿ ...

3. ಒಂದು ಅಂಕಿಯ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯ ಅಂಕಿಗಳ ಮೊತ್ತ 9. ಅಂಕಿಗಳನ್ನು ಅದಲು ಬದಲು ಮಾಡಿದಾಗ ಬರುವ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ :

1) ಸಮೀಕರಣ —

1. ಅನಕ್ಷರ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಗಳನ್ನು ಅಕ್ಷರಗಳಿಂದ ಸೂಚಿಸಿ ಸಮೀಕರಣ ರೂಪಿಸಿ ಬಿಡಿಸಿ —

2. ಅಂಕಿಗಳ ಸ್ಥಳಬೆಲೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯ ಬೆಲೆ ...

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ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಮತ್ತು ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಯವರ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರವೇಶಾತಿ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ:

ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಮತ್ತು ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಯವರ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರವೇಶಾತಿ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಆದೇಶ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಆಇ ೨೦೨೨ ದಿನಾಂಕ ೨೦.೦೭.೨೦೨೨ ರಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿರುವ ಆದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಕೆಲವು ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಿಂದ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೋರಿ ಮನವಿಗಳು ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತವೆ. ಸದರಿ ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಮತ್ತು ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಯವರ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರವೇಶಾತಿ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟವಾಗಿ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಗೊಂದಲಗಳಿಲ್ಲ. ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುವಂತೆ ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಮತ್ತು ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಯವರ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರವೇಶಾತಿ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸಲು ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳು ಕ್ರಮ ವಹಿಸಬೇಕು.

ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಮತ್ತು ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಯವರ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರವೇಶಾತಿ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಆದೇಶ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಆಇ ೨೦೨೨ ದಿನಾಂಕ ೨೦.೦೭.೨೦೨೨ ರಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿರುವ ಆದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಕೆಲವು ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಿಂದ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೋರಿ ಮನವಿಗಳು ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತವೆ. ಸದರಿ ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಮತ್ತು ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಯವರ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರವೇಶಾತಿ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟವಾಗಿ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಗೊಂದಲಗಳಿಲ್ಲ. ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುವಂತೆ ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಮತ್ತು ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಯವರ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರವೇಶಾತಿ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸಲು ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳು ಕ್ರಮ ವಹಿಸಬೇಕು.

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Sub Division Office Hapan.

Dated Hapan 27th March 1885

SECTION C.P.
FILE NO. 6 C 7
SERIAL NO. 14

To The Secretary to the Dewan,
of Mysore.

Sir,

Referring to para 2 of the Dewan's Proceedings no: 4470-81/92 of the 30th October last calling for the submission of opinion as to what arrangements are necessary to dispose of the Government right to leaves of date trees situated on Government lands, I have the honor to report that the Amildars of this Sub Division are of opinion that the Government right to date leaves may be

be sold annually for each Taluk. Preliminary steps are being taken with this view. The Abkary Contractors Drapers Kanamia Dodda Mallamma & Co complaining of the friction and embarrassment which must ensue if there were interference of petty Izardars in their work, they have been told to make their own offers which shall be considered with others. These are only measures preliminary to giving effect to final orders that may be received from the Dewan's Office..

Herewith are submitted the

* 1 Reply from the Dy Amildar of Gyana no: 788 Dated 28th December 1884	* marginally noted Communications which contain
2. — Do from the Amildar of Arsikere no: 1432 Dated 20th December 1884	
3. Dy Commrs Docket (copy) no: 1326 Dated 16th January 1885 in reply to this Office Docket no: 1172 (Copy attached) Dy 11th January 1885.	
4. Petition from the Abkary Contr Dy 6-3-85 Regd no: 78.	

Contain two points deserving of consideration. The first is that the Contractors have in one way or another got the Control over the dake leaves profess to have no Control and yet the Concession was meant to be given them when the Toddy Contract was given out. The second is that one feasible way of effecting the object mentioned in para 2 of the Proceedings above quoted will be by declaring in the manner indicated in the draft rules hereto appended.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servt.

T Marshall

Sub Division Officer
Dasparra

1884.

From Executive Officer

The Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

To

The Sub Division Officer
Atapur

Dated 15th
Despatched 16th } January 1885.

Enclosure no: 1.

No. 1326.

Has the honor to state reference to Sub Division Office Docket no: 1172/633 Dated 11th Instant that the Toddy Contract of the Kadur District (including the 4 Taluks of the Sub Division) was meant to include the right to the leaves trees under the

the authority of para 3 of Dewan's Proceedings no: 18 Dated 28th October 1881 (Copy attached hereto). But the Dewan having altered his views in Proceedings no: 4470-81/91 of 30th October last, Copies of the Proceedings have been circulated to Assistant Commissioners and on receipt of their reply proposals as to the disposal of Government right to the leaves will have to be submitted for such orders as the Government may deem fit.

The question is therefore one pending decision in due course.-

Signed Syed Ali
Offg Commissioner,
Kadur District.

"Copy"

T. Anantha Rao
Asst Subdivl Officer

1885.

From Enclosure 4, 1 & 4

The Sub Division Officer
Hassan.

To

The Dy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

No. 1172/633 Dated 11th January 1885.

In Dewan's Proceedings no: 4470-81/92 Dated 30th October last it is stated "the right to leaves of date trees — situated on Government land is thus reserved at present for separate disposal, and no longer vests in the Contractor (of date toddy)" The Amildar's report that the right to date leaves now vest in the Toddy Contractor - As the Toddy Contract was given out at Chikkamagalur by the Dy Commissioner — undersigned begs to be favored with a copy of the Contract bond and

otherwise with information of the manner in which these Contracts have been given out in the 4 Taluks of this Sub Division.-

"Sipeej" T. Anandakon
Sub Division Officer
Dapuri

"Copy"

T. Anandakon
Sub Division Officer
Dapuri.

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Dy Commissioner's Office
Bangalore Distt
6th April 1885

SECTION— Gen
No. 6- 85
FILE NO.
SER'AL NO. 25

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The Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore -

Sir

Received 9/4/85
Proceedings No. 6881-5/150 of 19th Instant, I have
Adverting to your docket
the honor to report for the information
of the Dewan on the arrangements
required to be made for the disposal
of the Government right to leases of
date trees in the Bangalore District -

2. Under the terms of Dewan's
Proceedings No. 6881-5/150 of 19th Instant,
the present Toddy Contractors will in
fact be the custodians of Government
date trees and the control to be given
to them will be in view to their
preventing the deterioration of the
trees by the purchaser or "lessee" of
the leaves, who will be bound by the
following conditions: —

1. That the lessee may cut
and remove any dried leaves as also
leaves which are likely to whither up in
a short time -

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II That he shall not cut leaves from any young, immature toddy trees, the trunks of which are less than one yard in height from the ground to the springing up of the branches, nor from any other date trees, when his so doing is likely to hurt the tree, rendering it unserviceable at once or in reasonable course of time.

III That the lessee shall have no right to such leaves as the toddy Contractors may have to remove for the purpose of drawing toddy.

IV That the lessee will be liable to any loss that may accrue to the Toddy Contractors by any action on his part, or on that of his people, in violation of the conditions above set forth.

3. It also appears to me that the Control to be given to the Contractors should also be subject to certain limitations. They should not be allowed to interfere unduly with the lessee of the leaves when he abides by the above conditions; and

if

if they should so infringe the said terms, they will render themselves liable in their turn for any losses which the lessee of the leases may sustain -

4- This course, I think, will secure a mutual check on the Toddy Contractors and the lessee of the right to the leases - But I apprehend that with so many conditions people will not have sufficient inducement to come forward to bid - And it is also a point for consideration whether the Toddy Contractors should not also be allowed to bid if they like -

5. The right to cut date leaves on the conditions above set out may be sold Talookwar -

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

S Ricketts
Dy Commissioner

G.W.G.

No 124
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Tiptur District.
Deputy Commissioner's Office.

Tiptur 15th May 1885

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To

SECTION G/Re
FILE No 40 83
SERIAL No. 16

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore -
Revenue Department -

Sir,

With reference to Dewan's Pro-
-ceedings No 4470-81/92 of 30th October last
on the subject of disposal of the
Government right to the leaves of
date trees, I have the honor to sub-
-mit the report of the Assistant
Commissioner in charge of Chitel-
-droog Sub Division and to state
that I agree with the suggestion
of that Officer that licenses may
be issued on a fixed amount of
fee to Bona fide traders of Mats,
Baskets &c -

2. It is questionable whether any
special concession is necessary to
cultivating Ryots as the Government
has

+ No 33679 February 1885.

has already made a very large concession in as much as it has deprived itself of —— all rights over date trees in the occupied lands. Should the Government, however, be disposed to extend the concession still further the fees to cultivating Ryots may be half of those for the Traders. In times of drought and the scarcity of fodder the Revenue Officers must be allowed full discretion to allow Ryots to take away date leaves as at present. I would not recommend any interference on the part of the Contractors as such for in my opinion entirely uncalled for and is some times mischievous. While the power of interference will raise the position and prestige of the Contractors it will in proportion reduce those of our Amildars who are already treated lightly in the style of correspondence

&c

&c by the Contractors - The Suil-
dars should under the guidance
and control of the district and
sub Division Officers be trusted
in such matters and I am quite
certain that no Suildar under
such circumstances would abuse
his authority. The amount of
license fees may have to be fixed
with reference to the demand and
supply of the different localities -

3. The Contractors tho' constantly
written to from this Office have
not deemed it proper to send any
expression of their opinion -

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most Obedt. Servant.

W. Mundy

Deputy Commissioner

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Enclosure

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Annas 4 to 8 per mensem from the people. If the cultivating Ryots were allowed leaves free, none would come forward to bid for the right. It therefore seems to me advisable to farm the right to each individual applicant on payment of a fixed annual Seigniorage fee to be paid in advance for cutting leaves from a given jungle. In granting license care should be taken not to allow the cutting of leaves by such persons in groves where there are Toddy yielding trees or where the Toddy Contractor is engaged in tapping. Of Course under this system the Ryot will enjoy his privilege, and there will be no more Complaints from him.

3. I would fix the amount of Seigniorage fee to be levied as follows.

—— Per Annum per head Rs. 6—0—0
—— Do —— for Six Months Rs. 3—8—
—— Do —— for 3 —— Do —— Rs. 2—0—
—— Do —— per 1 —— Do —— Rs. —12—

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From The Asst Commissioner
Chickaldroog Sub Dn.

To (Revenue)
The Secretary to the Chief-Commissioner
of Mysore, Revenue Department.

Dated 9th
Despatched 11th
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General No. 330 } 1884-86:
No.

Reports on the subject of carrying out the right of cutting date leaves by Ryots on payment of a fixed license fee.

This arrangement is necessary because the Chalavadis who carry on this trade are habitual wanderers & the remain in one spot never exceeding three days, & in another, and then remove to another. In such cases, it would be hard on them to demand in advance full year's license fees.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most Obt Servt

Asst Commissioner
Chickaldroog Sub Dn.

Amended
with minute
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DEWAN OF MYSORE

1885

From The Dy Commissioner
Kadur &c

SECTION C W.

FILE No. 6 23

SERIAL No. 17

To

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore.

Dated 20th June

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 170 / No. } 1885—86.

Sir,

In continuation
of this office Rr. 2709 6062 date
the 10th February last, I
have the honor to report
for the information of
Government that I ha
have ordered the Amildar
to sell the Contract of
date Leaves to the pro-
-fessional rope and
basket makers for
sums not less than
the amounts for which
the contract used to be
sublet to them by the
former Contractors
making

making the purchasers 72.
clearly understand that
the sale ~~should be~~ is subject
to revision on receipt of
the final order of Govemt
as it is believed the question
is under Consideration.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servt

J. L. Mullett
Supt Construction
Navy

M. M.

SECTION 5 77.
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SERIAL No. 1 8

No. 661.
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Deputy Commr's Office
Kolar District
Cauvery Srinivaspur
3rd September 85.

To The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore
Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to para 2 of the Dewan's Proceedings No. 4470-81/92 of the 30th October 1884, I have the honor to state that the ravenna from date leaves in this District is very insignificant, and when this item was thrown open to competition in 1882, no bids were received for some of the Talooks, while those offered for the others amounted to only Rs. 67¼ as shewn in the margin. Thereupon some correspondence took place between this Office and yours on the subject & decides/the Dewan's Proceedings No. 3607/112 of the 12th August/82, that the Kolar Toddy contractors should be allowed the use of the date leaves for Rs. 33-10-11, being half the amount of bids at the auction sales.

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Mulbagal — 25 — "
Srinivaspur — 6 — "
Bagepalli — 5 — "
67 — 4 — "

2. The farming out of the item to strangers will to a certain extent create conflicting rights over the date trees, and may eventually

eventually prove prejudicial to the interests of Government.

8. For these reasons I would submit that the present Toddy Contractors may be allowed the use of date leaves in this District during the currency of their Contract, if they agree to pay a lump sum of Rs. 70/- per annum which is nearly equal to the amount offered by them. In case they refuse to accept these terms, the Government right to the leaves may be disposed of by public auction. Messrs Dany-Muddappa & Co's letter No. 522 of the 10th November/84 to my address on the subject is also submitted for information.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most obed.t servt.,

Deputy Commissioner

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SECTION S R

FILE No. C — 9

SERIAL No. 1 9

From Deputy Commissioner Tumkur District.

1885

To

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore. Revenue Department.

Dated Tumkur the 6th November 1885.

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Sd Ashley

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Bring up file.
B/16 Rg.

This Office letter No 124 of 15th May 1885 regarding the disposal of the leaves of date trees on Government lands.

In soliciting the favor of early orders in the matter, has the honor to bring to notice that in the Tiptur Taluk alone a man has offered to pay 320 Rupees for the monopoly of utilizing the leaves up to the 31st March 1886.

Deputy Commissioner

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SECTION C R

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The Dy Commissioner Tumkur District

To

Submitted to Secretary on 10-1-86

S.V.C. 4-1-86.

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore. Revenue Department.

Dated 22d December 1885.

Despatched

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Enclosures No.

General No. 7555

No. 720 | 1885-86.

I his office docket no: 681 of 30th October 1885 and its previous referred regarding the disposal of the leaves of date trees on Government lands: -

In continuation of the above has the honor to bring to notice that in the Kubbi Taluq one Issamiya has offered in a public Sale to pay Rs: 50 for the monopoly of utilising the leaves upto 31st March 1885 and in anticipation of Dewan's Sanction the present Darkhas=dar has been permitte

permitted to enter into his Contract.

W. B. Russell

Deputy Commissioner

Fourth District

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Sl. 19. From The Dy Comm^r. Tumkur.

No. S 81 Dt 6-11-85-

Brings to notice that a certain man has offered Rs 320/- for the monopoly of utilizing the lake leases in the Tiptur Taluk.

20. From The Dy Comm^r. Tumkur Dcsh.

No. 720 Dt 22-12-85

States that in anticipation of the Govt sanction he has let out his Contract of lake leases of the Gubbi Taluk to one Sebuniya of the same Taluk for Rs 50/-.

J. V. R. Iyengar

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